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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Re Patent Application of)
DAVID A YSEN)
Serial No.: 09/182,732)
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For: ROTATING FOOD DEHYDRATOR)
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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

FEE CALCULATION: No Additional Fees Due. Upon entry of the below amendment, the total number claims will be 20 or less, and the number of independent claims will be 3 or less.

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action mailed March 23, 1999,
please amend claims of the application as follows (bracketed parts
deleted and underlined parts added):

Please cancel claims 2-9.

Please add the following new claim:

al 210. (New) A food dehydrator comprising:
a base including a bottom face having a side wall coupled to a
periphery of the bottom face and extending upwardly therefrom for
defining an upper peripheral edge and an interior space;